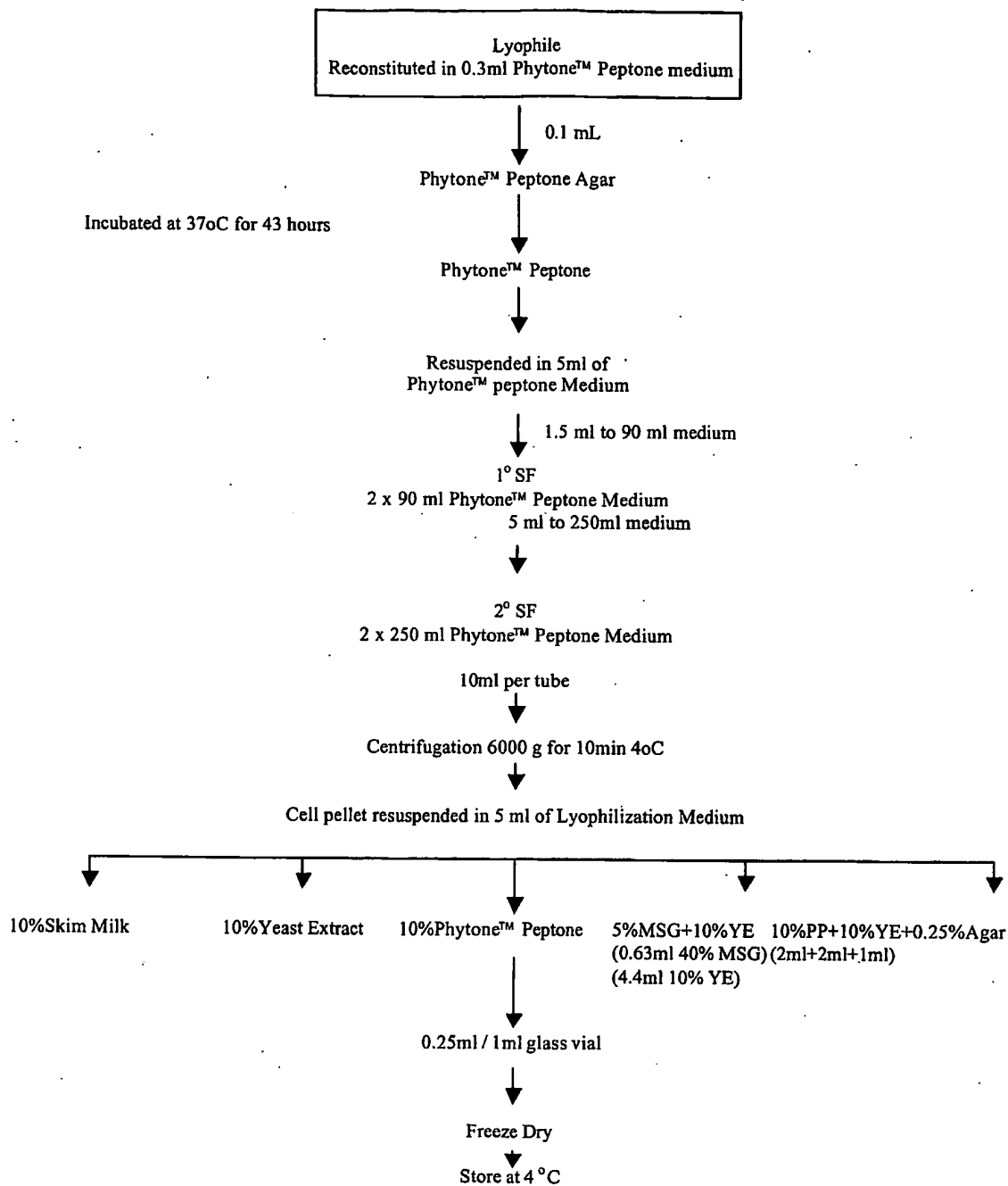


Figure 1: A flow diagram outlining the preparation and lyophilization of a *C. diphtheriae* culture.

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